

ENGLAND DRAWS TIGHTER NET AROUND GERMAN MAIL

Berlin, April 15 (By Mail).—England today is maintaining an absolute mail blockade of Germany. Fewer letters and newspapers are reaching Berlin today than at any time since the beginning of the war. England's control of the cable censorship is becoming more severe, so that Germany is gradually being cut off from communication with the United States and all other overseas countries.

For several months Americans in Berlin have been receiving their mail marked "opened by the censor No." The letters had been taken from neutral steamers and held in England for examination.

CROWD UP FRONT: MAKE ROOM FOR JEAN CRONES AGAIN

Pittsburgh, May 16.—Jean Crones has turned up again—this time disguised as a nun. Chicago Detectives Ischler and McMahon were here today investigating the tip given them by the Pittsburgh police.

After the "nun" had been here for several weeks, going about freely and visiting Turtle Creek strike zone, a downtown shop girl noticed that the "nun" always went alone, that "she" wore a garb different somewhat from the orthodox and always carried a large handbag.

The shopgirl told the police she was certain the "nun" was Crones.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS

Washington.—Judge John N. Westcott of Camden, N. J., will nominate Pres. Wilson at St. Louis convention.

Los Angeles.—The cross-continent flight of Oscar Brindley and A. J. Macy, scheduled to begin in an aeroplane fitted with Macy's stabilizer, postponed indefinitely because machine was not ready.

Washington.—Danger of massacre of Christians in Syria has been privately reported to state department.

WAR NURSE URGES GIRLS TO PREPARE FOR WAR



KATHLEEN BURKE

"Girls must enter the preparedness movement," Miss Kathleen Burke is telling young women of the Vacation ass'n in New York. Miss Burke has just come to America from Belgium, where she was secretary and active leader of the Scottish Women's hospital relief work. She says women and girls have played a wonderful part in alleviation of suffering in Europe.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Amalg. Meat Cutters, 546, meet Wed night, Franklin hall, 19 W. Adams. Homer D. Call, sec'y and treas. A. E. will talk. Nonunion butchers invited.

Executive committee Public Ownership league meets Wed., 8 p. m., 165 W. Washington.

Washington.—Sup't S. B. Haig of New York ordered reinstatement of eleven locked-out telegraphers at the Western Union telegraph office.